

JSC MATERIALS AND FRACTURE CONTROL CERTIFICATION

PROJECT/SUBSYSTEM MANAGER: EX / Mark McDonald

REF: MATL - 01 - - 084

HARDWARE NAME:

Personal Radiation Protection System
(PRPS)

PART NUMBER:

See Table (Attached)

APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS:

Materials Requirements:

- ☒ NSTS 1700.7B, Safety Policy and Requirements for Payloads Using the Space Transportation System
- ☒ SE-R-0006D, Space Shuttle System Requirements for Materials and Processes
- ☐ SE-M-0096A, General Specification for Materials and Processes for JSC Controlled Payloads
- ☒ SSP 30233F, Space Station Requirements for Materials and Processes
- ☒ JSC 27301B, Materials Control Plan for JSC Flight Hardware
- ☐ Other:

Fracture Control Requirements:

- ☒ NASA-STD-5003, Fracture Control Requirements for Payloads Using the Space Shuttle
- ☒ SSP 30558C, Fracture Control Requirements for Space Station
- ☐ SSP 52005B, ISS Payload Flight Equipment Requirements and Guidelines for Safety-Critical Structures

- ☒ Flammability
- ☒ Toxicity
- ☒ Stress Corrosion Cracking
- ☒ Fracture Control
- ☒ Aging

- ☐ Atomic Oxygen/Ultraviolet
- ☐ Thermal Vacuum Stability
- ☐ Fluid Compatibility:
- ☒ Microbiological Resistance
- ☐ Other:

LOCATION:

- ☒ Orbiter Crew Cabin
- ☐ Orbiter Payload Bay
- ☒ Progress
- ☒ Spacehab
- ☒ Soyuz
- ☒ MPLM
- ☒ Space Station:
- ☒ Internal
- ☐ External
- ☐ Other:

MATERIALS USAGE AGREEMENTS (MUA's):

- ☐ No MUA's
- ☒ MUA Number(s): LM/ISS -56, Category 1.

Deviation: Flammability of the Ultra-High Molecular Weight Polyethylene Blocks

LIMITATIONS:

☐ No Limitations

- ☒ Materials: Rationale provided in MUA#LM/ISS-56 apply.
- ☒ Fracture Control: No Limitations

This material certification is consistent with any existing Materials and Processes and Fracture Control Intercenter Agreements with MSFC, GSFC, JPL, and LeRC.

APPROVALS

Fracture Control Manager

Date

GFE Materials Control Manager

Date

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1-11-01

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ATTACHMENT 2

Attachment to MATL - 01 - 084

SEG 33114100-301
SEG 33114109-301

Radiation Shield Plate Assembly
Radiation Shield Corner Brick Assembly

ATTACHMENT 1

Hardware Acceptance Summary Report for Materials

The Personal Radiation Protection System (PRPS) will provide the crew with shielding from Ionizing radiation and consequently ensure a safe sleeping environment. The PRPS is an array of "Bricks", which are composed of 2 radiation protection panels mechanically fastened to form a single unit of 2 " thickness. Each panel is made of 1" thick Ultra high Molecular Weight polyethylene blocks (p/n Lennite) which are tightly wrapped with Al. tape (3M#425) for flammability protection. There is more than 1 " overlap between each wrap of tape. This Al. tape wrapped PE block is further encased in double layer Nomex HT-90-40 fabric pouch for additional Flammability protection. The mechanical fasteners used are CRES 300 series. The radiation shield is attached to the ISS structure by soft mounting with Velcroed Kevlar straps.

Stress Corrosion Cracking

All materials are "A" rated for SCC.

Flammability

A Category 1 Flammability MUA has been written and approved by EM / Dr. Mike Pedley and the ISS program to cover rationale that the 220 lbs of UHMWPE used for radiation protection does not create a Flammability hazard in the configuration used (Wrapped with Al. tape and Nomex). For the 1" wide, 0.037" thick Kevlar webbing, a configuration test (with the Kevlar loosely attached to the Double Layer Nomex softgoods cover in a "J" config. with ignitor at edge of webbing) was performed to study the potential for flammability hazard (Ref: W01-35932). The samples passed this configuration test in ISS environment (24.1%O₂@14.5 psia). Hence, the Flammability of the straps has been covered by ISS Category 3 rationale code 103. In the orbiter, this hardware will always be stowed inside non-flammable CTB bags, hence Flammability is a non-issue in Orbiter.

Toxicity

All materials are "A" rated or better for toxicity and used well below their maximum usage limits. The Lennite UHMWPE material has max. usage limit of 2592.66 lbs in ISS. The amount of Lennite used was 220 lbs approximately. The Kevlar straps are also used well below their max. usage limits. By MAPTIS data, similar Kevlar straps from same manufacturer are "K" rated for toxicity. Hence this hardware is acceptable for toxicity.

Aging

This hardware was assessed for aging and found acceptable for 15 year life. The Nomex, Kevlar are all fairly resistant to aging. The Polyethyene is completely enclosed and in this configuration, aging due to light and UV is a non-issue.

Microbiological Resistance

The hardware was assessed for fungus and found acceptable based on the conditions of use. It is used in a controlled humidity environment and the only fungus prone material, Polyethylene is completely enclosed and has no probability of getting affected by moisture and fungus.

Conclusion

The only limitation is "Rationale provided in MUA#LM/ISS-56 apply."
There are no other limitations for the use of this hardware in ISS habitable areas.

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TABLE 4-1. Fungal susceptibility of materials.

<u>Group I - Fungus-inert materials</u> (Fungus-inert in all modified states and grades)	
Acrylics Acrylonitrile-styrene Acrylonitrile-vinyl-chloride copolymer Asbestos Ceramics Chlorinated polyester Fluorinated ethylene-propylene copolymer (FEP) Glass Metals Mica Plastic laminates: Silicone-glass fiber Phenolic-nylon fiber Diallyl phthalate Polyacrylonitrile	1/ Polyamide Polycarbonate Polyester-glass fiber laminates Polyethylene, high density (above 0.940) Polyethylene terephthalate Polyimide Polymonochlorotrifluoroethylene Polypropylene Polystyrene Polysulfone Polytetrafluoroethylene Polyvinylidene chloride Silicone resin Siloxane-polyolefin polymer Siloxane polystyrene
<u>Group II - Fungus nutrient materials</u> (May require treatment to attain fungus resistance)	
ABS (acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene) Acetal resins Cellulose acetate Cellulose acetate butyrate Epoxy-glass fiber laminates Epoxy-resin Lubricants Melamine-formaldehyde Organic polysulphides Phenol-formaldehyde Polydichlorostyrene	Polyethylene, low and medium density (0.940 and below) Polymethyl methacrylate Polyurethane (the ester types are particularly susceptible) Polyricinoleates Polyvinyl chloride Polyvinyl chloride-acetate Polyvinyl fluoride Rubbers, natural and synthetic Urea-formaldehyde

1/ Literature shows that under certain conditions polyamides may be attacked by selective micro-organisms. However, for military applications, they are considered group I.

5. Information for guidance only.

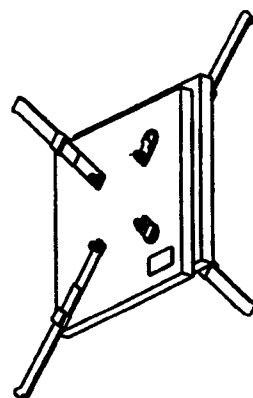
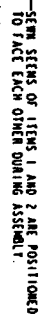
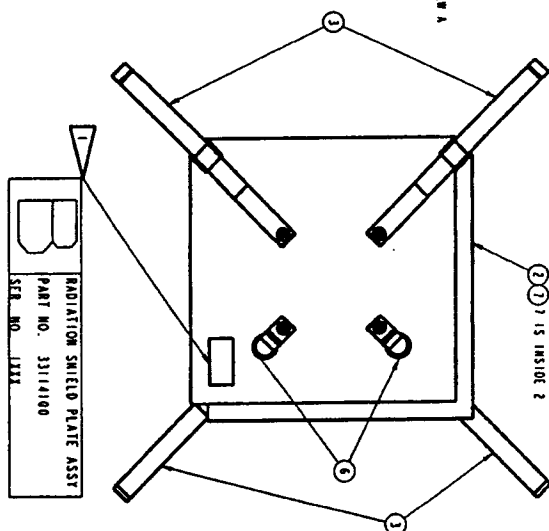
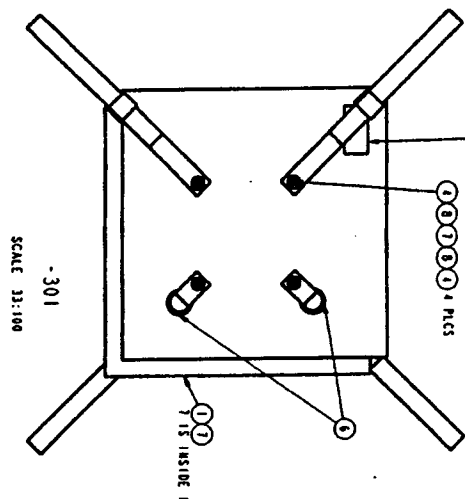
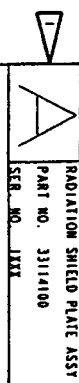
5.1 Process-related materials. Processing materials to be tested for fungus resistance in accordance with 4.4, such as paint, ink, coatings, adhesives, lubricants, viscous damping fluids, silicone grease, etc, should be prepared in the form of 50 mm squares or circles no more than 1.6 mm thick for testing. Liquid or paste materials should be prepared by impregnating to saturation a sterile sample of glass fabric.

5.2 Parts treatment. When treatment of parts is required to form fungus-resistant materials, a Moisture and Fungus Proofing (MFP) varnish conforming to MIL-V-173 may be applied in accordance with MIL-T-152 after the part is cleaned. The MFP varnish should not be applied to any part where the treatment will interfere with performance.

5.3 Carcinogens. Certain chemicals have been identified in the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) as cancer-producing substances (carcinogens). Before using any materials which might contain these chemicals, they should be evaluated in accordance with 29 CFR 1910. Consideration of the toxicity of a substance should be given prior to material selection.

ISS GFE MATERIALS USAGE AGREEMENT	USAGE AGREEMENT NO.	REV.	PAGE 2 OF 2
	LM/ISS-56	-	
TITLE: ISS Personal Radiation Protection (PRP) System Radiation Protection Block		CATEGORY: 1	EFFECTIVITY: ISS 5A.1 and Subs.
APPLICATION (Contd.)			
<p>Ultra-High Molecular Weight Polyethylene is flammable in ISS environment (24.1% O₂ @ 14.5 psia). This Materials Usage Agreement provides rationale that the above configuration of the Radiation Protection Brick is not a credible flammability hazard in the ISS and Orbiter Crew Cabin environment.</p>			
<p>RATIONALE (Contd.)</p> <p>(c) Ultra-High Molecular Weight Polyethylene is the only suitable material for providing shielding from ionizing radiation, as it has adequate radiation absorbing characteristics.</p> <p>(d) The radiation shield is unpowered and the presence of a credible external ignition source is highly unlikely in the Crew Sleeping quarters where the PRPS will be located.</p>			
<p>Due to all of the above reasons, the above configuration of the Radiation shield is not a credible flammability hazard in the ISS and Orbiter Crew Cabin environment.</p>			

DEPT. OF THE ARMY (CHANGE)

ISOMETRIC VIEW
REFERENCE ONLY

1. INTERPRET PER JPS 8500.4.
2. FABRICATION TOLERANCES AND PRACTICES PER SAT-36103153.
3. CLEAN TO LEVEL OF PER MSA/JSC PJC-3901.
4. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES/POUNDS.
5. BREAK ALL SHARP EDGES AND ROUND ALL CORNERS TO .02 - .04 A.

FLAG NOTES

1 RUBBER STAMP PART NAME, NUMBER AND SERIAL NUMBER IN 1/8 HIGH GOTHIC CHARACTERS PER MAN/ASC PRC-9002. SIZE A AND B DESIGNATION TO BE RUBBER STAMPED IN 3/4 INCH HIGH GOTHIC CHARACTERS. LOCATE APPROXIMATELY AS SHOWN

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4	50633114100-001	PLA. SHIELD PLATE			7												
2	50633114106-001	RADIATION SHIELD			6												
4	50633114101-302	D-RING STRAP ASSY			5												
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FIGURE 2

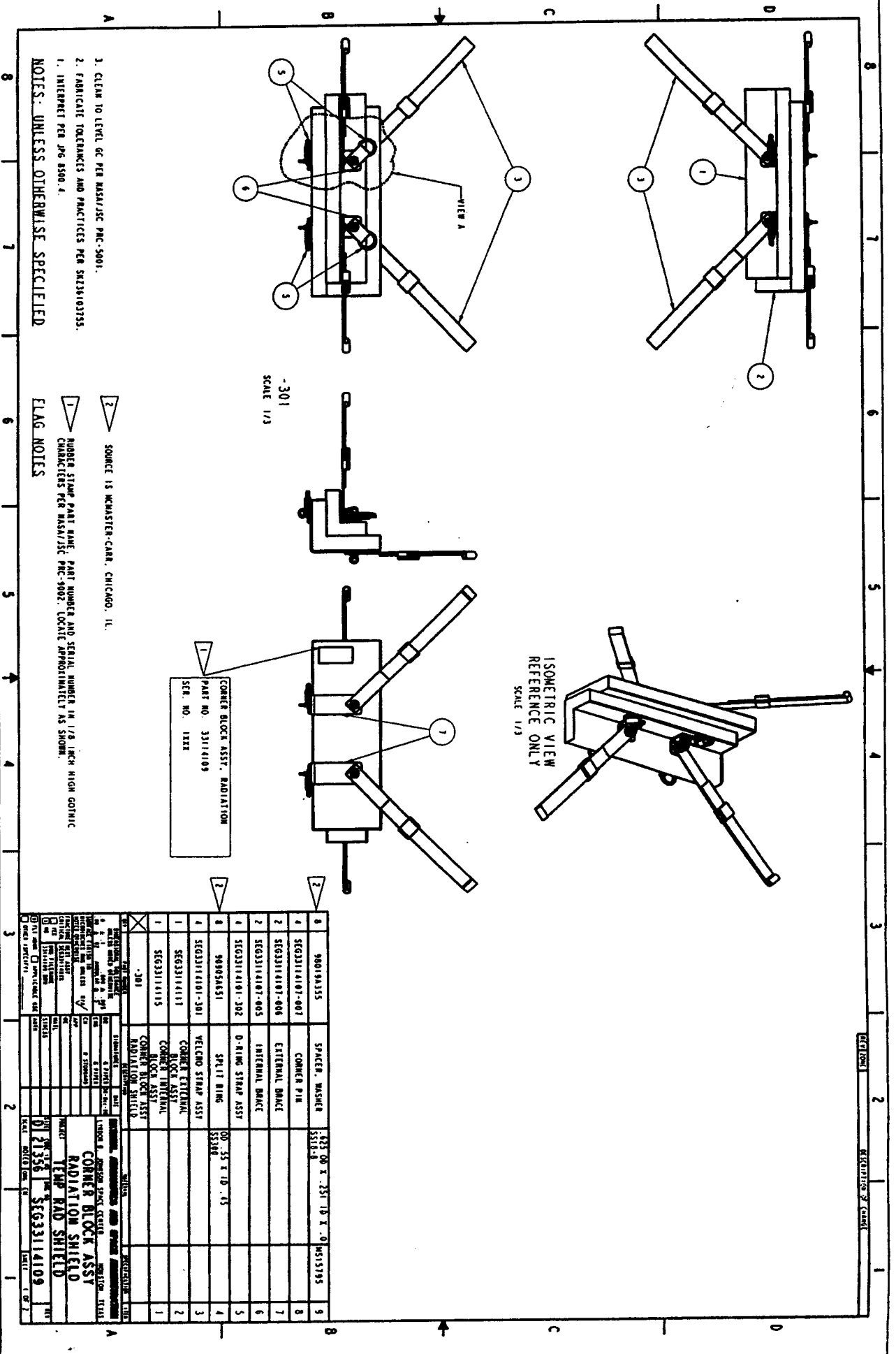
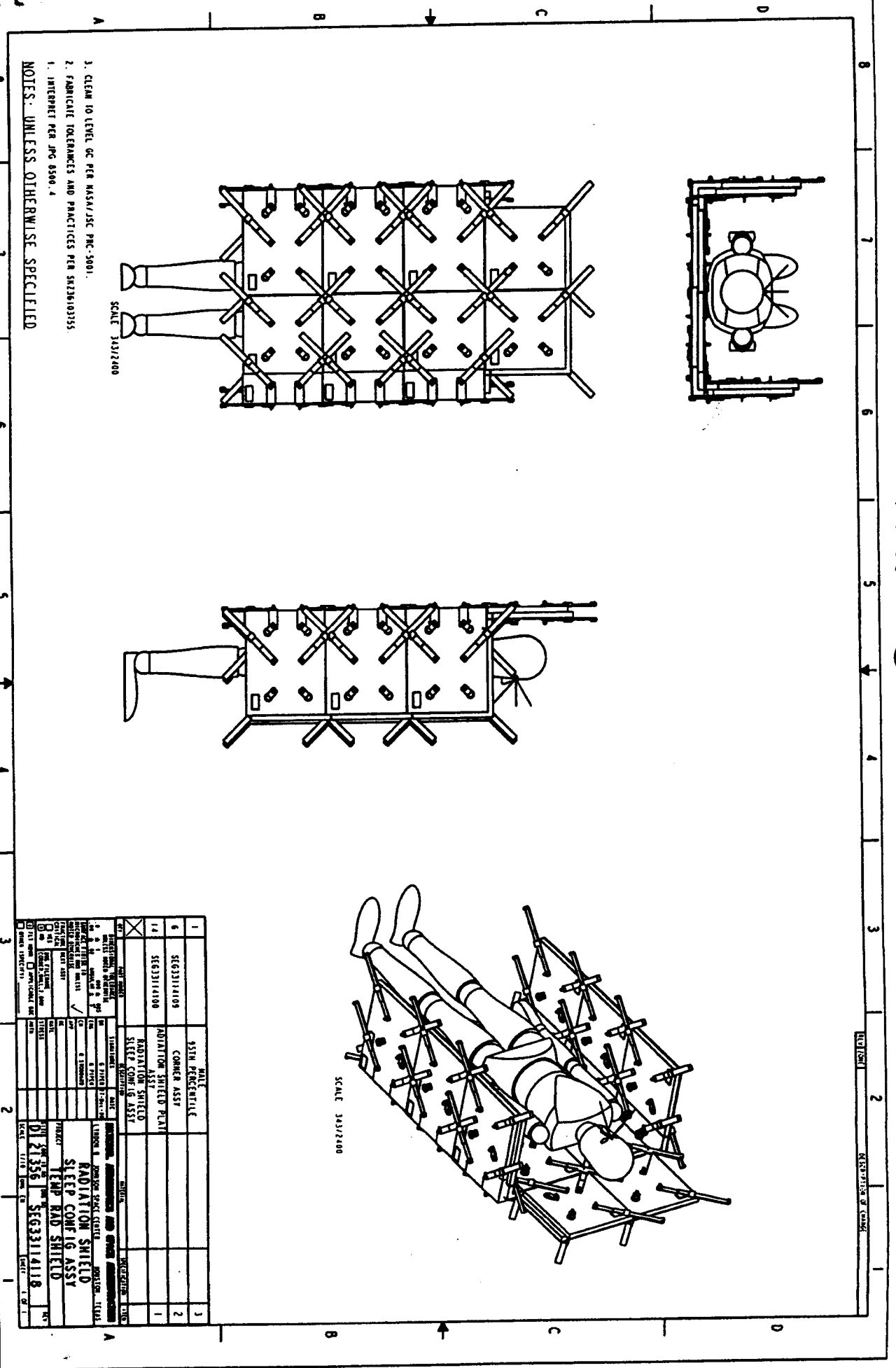


FIGURE 3



*** MAPTIS NONMETALLIC SELECTION LIST DATA FOR MTRL CODE: 82386 ***** 21-MAY-01

MTRL CODE: 82386
 USE TYPE: PLASTIC ULTRA HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT (UHMW)
 DESIGNATION: LENNITE* UHMW
 COMPOSITION: POLYETHYLENE
 GENERIC ID: DKCFXXXX MFG SERVICE TEMPS IN AIR - MIN: MAX:

* LENNITE IS A REGISTERED TRADEMARK OF WESTLAKE PLASTICS

SPECIFICATION: ASTM D 4020-81

MANUFACTURER: WESTLAKE PLASTICS COMPANY

BASIC PROPERTIES

DATA SOURCE	SOURCE DATE
PRODUCT DATA SHEET	21-NOV-00

PROPERTY	VALUE	UNIT	COMMENTS
COEFFICIENT OF THERMAL EXPANS	11.0E-5	in/in F	PER ASTM D696
DENSITY	.03	lb/cu in	PER ASTM D792
DIELECTRIC CONSTANT	2.3		PER ASTM D150
ELONGATION	350	percent	PER ASTM D638
HARDNESS	61		ROCKWELL R
HEAT DEFLECTION TEMP		F	
MAX COUNTINUOUS TEMP		F	
REFRACTION INDEX			
TENSILE STRENGTH	6000	psi	PER ASTM D638
WATER ABSORPTION		percent	

TOXICITY DATA

TEST NR	CU SMP #	WGT grams	CHAMBER VOLUME liters	GAS NAME	OFFGASD AMOUNT MCR/GRM	SMAC R	SHUTTLE S		ISSA		RUSSIAN R		RUSSIAN	
							ML WGT S	ML WGT R	ML WGT S	ML WGT R	ML WGT R	ML WGT R	ML WGT	ML WGT
W25631-A	22.433	4.3		ACETALDEHYDE	.008	4 K	.035	1428.6 K	.0193	2592.66	1 K	.0289	1732.65	
				ACETONE	.006	50					2			
				BUTENES	.007	5								
				C10 SATURATED	.02	43.5								
				ALIPHATIC										
				HYDROCARBONS										
				C11 SATURATED	*	47.9								
				ALIPHATIC										
				HYDROCARBONS										
				C6 UNSATURATED	.02	5								
				ALIPHATIC										
				HYDROCARBONS										
				C7 SATURATED	.04	200.28								
				ALIPHATIC										
				HYDROCARBONS										
				CARBON MONOXIDE	.39	10					5			
				HEXANE	.42	176					5			
				ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL	.01	150					1.5			
				METHYL ETHYL	.01	30					.25			
				KETONE										
				OCTANE	.02	348.92					10			

NASA JSC TEST REQUEST				OFFICE USE ONLY	
NOTE TO TEST FACILITY: A COPY OF THIS REQUEST SHOULD BE RETURNED WITH THE TEST REPORT.				TEST FACILITY I.D. NUMBER 91-25631 ✓	
NAME R. MCINTOSH/R. PELLITIER/ L. WONG		ORGANIZATION NASA/UNISYS/HUGHES EDD		COORDINATOR BEM M.D.P.	
ADDRESS NASA/GSFC/732.2 GREENBELT, MD 20771 UNISYS-GSFC GREENTECH BLDG. 10265 AEROSPACE RD. GREENBELT, MD 20706 HUGHES AIRCRAFT CO. ELECTRON DYNAMICS DIV 3100 WEST LOMITA BLVD BLDG. 237, RM #1450 TORRENCE, CA 90509				REQUEST NO. 9567 C TEST FACILITY WSTF	
DATE November 14, 1991		PHONE (301) 794-2722/(310) 517-5285		CODE	
1. MANUFACTURER'S IDENTIFICATION (ITEM DESCRIPTION) LENNITE ULTRA HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYETHYLENE			2. MANUFACTURER'S NAME WESTLAKE PLASTIC CO. (215) 459-1000		
3. SPECIFICATION		4. CHEMICAL CLASS		5. GENERIC USE	
6. CATEGORY NHB 8060.1 A, B, C NHB 8060.1C		7. TEST REQUIRED 1 THRU 18, VCM, TQCM, SPECIAL 7			
8. VEHICLE SHUTTLE		9. PART NUMBER & SERIAL NO.		10. PROJECT HEAT PIPE PERFORMANCE EXPERIMENT	
11. USE TEMPERATURE		12. USE ATMOSPHERE/FLUID		13. IGNITER TYPE	
14. USE PRESSURE		15. USE THICKNESS		16. INTENDED APPLICATION	
17. QUANTITY IN HABITABLE AREA/HAZARDOUS FLUID/VACUUM		18. CURE TIME		19. CURE TEMPERATURE	
20. CURE PRESSURE		21. TEST ARTICLE WT.		22. TEST ARTICLE AREA	
23. NUMBER OF ITEMS TESTED		24. NUMBER ITEMS TO BE FLOWN		25. TEST CHAMBER VOLUME	
26. TEST CHAMBER ATMOSPHERE 25.9% O ₂		27. TEST CHAMBER PRESSURE 11.8-12 PSIA		28. TEST CHAMBER TEMPERATURE	
29. TEST CHAMBER DURATION		30. CLEANING SPEC		31. MATL CODE	
32. PHOTOGRAPHIC COVERAGE NONE		33. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS RETURN ASSEMBLED ITEMS TO: L. WONG HUGHES AIRCRAFT CO.			

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AUTHORIZATIONS, SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS, AND NOTES

<u>FROM</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>INSTRUCTIONS</u>
WSTF	--	NHB 8060.1B Test 7 was performed rather than the specified NHB 8060.1C Test 7.
Marburger, Bettye E. JSC	11/27/91	Disregard the return note on the test request.

NASA HANDBOOK 8060.1B
TEST 7: DETERMINATION OF OFFGASSED PRODUCTS

TEST MATERIAL

LENNITE ULTRA HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYETHYLENE

TEST SAMPLE DESCRIPTION

Weight: 22.433 g

Preparation Information

The sample had a surface area of approximately 53 square centimeters.

TEST CONDITIONS

Test Chamber Volume: 4.3 liters

Test Atmosphere: 74.1% Nitrogen
25.9% Oxygen

Test Pressure: 82.0 kPa (11.9 psia)

Test Temperature: 49 °C (120 °F)

Test Duration: 72 Hr

TEST RESULTS, OBSERVATIONS, AND COMMENTS

TABLE 1. TEST RESULTS

Component	NASA Code	Toxic Limit (micrograms /gram)	Quantity (micrograms /grams)
Acetaldehyde	020300	77.1	0.008
Acetone	110500	1018	0.006
Butene	097600	7.17	0.007
C10 Saturated aliphatic hydrocarbon	099220	7.17	0.02
C11 Saturated aliphatic hydrocarbon	099460	7.17	0.003
C6 Unsaturated aliphatic hydrocarbon	098220	7.17	0.02
C7 Saturated aliphatic hydrocarbon	098500	287	0.04
Carbon monoxide	161000	40.9	0.39
Hexane	094200	252.21	0.42
Isopropyl alcohol	016400	140	0.01
Methyl ethyl ketone	115000	84.3	0.01
Octane	095850	500	0.02
Toluene	035200	108	0.008
Xylenes	039100	124	0.005

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DATE:

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MTRL CODE: 61461
 USE TYPE: TAPE ADHESIVE
 DESIGNATION: SCOTCH* 425
 COMPOSITION: ALUMINUM WITH ACRYLIC ADHESIVE
 GENERIC ID: DYFKAKXX MFG SERVICE TEMPS IN AIR - MIN: -65 f MAX: 300 f

* SCOTCH IS A REGISTERED TRADEMARK OF 3M CO

SPECIFICATION: DIN 2215L-T-808
 L-T-808
 MIL-T-11291
 MIL-T-23397B TYPE 2

MANUFACTURER: 3M CO
 DIVISION: INDUSTRIAL TAPE AND SPECIALTIES

BASIC PROPERTIES

DATA SOURCE SOURCE
 DATE
 PRODUCT DATA SHEET 05-APR-01

PROPERTY	VALUE	UNIT	COMMENTS
DENSITY		lb/cu in	
DIELECTRIC STRENGTH		volts/mil	
ELONGATION	7.0	percent	
PEEL STRENGTH	3.4	lb f/in	
SERVICE TEMPS	300	F	
SHEAR STRENGTH		psi	
SHELF LIFE		days	
TENSILE STRENGTH	6977	psi	

TOXICITY DATA

TEST NR	CU SMP #	WGT grams	CHAMBER VOLUME liters	GAS NAME	OFFGASD AMOUNT MCR/GRM	SMAC R	SHUTTLE ZT100	SHUTTLE S ML WGT lbs	ISSA ZT100	ISSA ML WGT lbs	RUSSIAN R SMAC R	RUSSIAN ZT100	RUSSIAN ML WGT lbs
W16661-B	20.09	4.3	** C8 SAT/UNSAT		.2	35 K	.0295	1693.57 K	.0163	3073.53	K	.0946	528.798
			ALIPHATIC										
			HYDROCARBONS										
			ACETALDEHYDE		.03	4						1	
			ACETONE		.08	50						2	
			C7 SAT/UNSAT		.2	201							
			ALIPHATIC										
			HYDROCARBONS										
			CARBON MONOXIDE		.2	10						5	
			ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL		.5	150						1.5	
			METHYL ETHYL		.07	30						.25	
			KETONE										
			TOLUENE		.05	60						8	

TEST NR T DESCRIPTION/REMARK

W16661-B R BATCH/LOT 4253UAL32342

ODOR DATA - NHB TEST 6

CUR SMP WGT PCT PRESS TEMP SUBSTR
 TEST NR NR R grams OXY psia f ODOR THK in SUBSTRATE MTRL

(TYPE OR PRINT, USING BLACK INK)

NASA JSC MATERIALS TEST REQUEST				TEST FACILITY I.D. NUMBER	
(See instructions on reverse side)				83-16661	
TEST REQUEST (To be completed by Test Requestor)					
NAME <i>M. W. Steinthal</i>		ORGANIZATION <i>ESJ</i>		COORDINATOR <i>RWZ</i>	
ADDRESS <i>NASA/JSC</i> <i>Houston Texas</i>				JSC S/N <i>4581A</i>	
DATE <i>Oct 28, 1983</i>		PHONE <i>713-483-3040</i>		TEST FACILITY <i>WSTF</i>	
1. MANUFACTURER'S IDENTIFICATION <i>No 425 Aluminum</i> <i>Tape</i>		2. MANUFACTURER'S NAME <i>3M</i>			
3. SPECIFICATION		4. CHEMICAL CLASS <i>Al/Silicone</i>		5. GENERIC USE <i>Tape</i>	
6. CHECK CATEGORY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> G <input type="checkbox"/> H <input type="checkbox"/> J		7. TESTS REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 11 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> 13 <input type="checkbox"/> 14 <input type="checkbox"/> 15 <input type="checkbox"/> VCM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL			
8. VEHICLE <i>Shuttle</i>		9. TEST DOCUMENT <i>NHB 8060.1B</i>		10. REQUESTER CONTRACT NUMBER	
12. USE ATMOSPHERE/FLUID		13. IGNITER TYPE		14. USE PRESSURE	
16. INTENDED APPLICATION		15. USE THICKNESS			
		17. QUANTITY IN HABITABLE AREA/HAZARDOUS FLUID/VACUUM ____ SQ. INCHES EXPOSED (If Known) _____ LBS.			
18. CURE TIME		19. CURE TEMPERATURE		20. CURE PRESSURE	
21. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS AND GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF SAMPLE <i>WSTF is requested to conduct a test No 7 rate study on this material. WSTF is requested to purchase 20 extra rolls to place in bonded stores</i> Per Mary McKee, JSC, 11/18/83 - Perform a standard NHB 8060.1B Test No. 6 and 7 under this request (WSTF No. 83-16661). Perform the special rate study under WSTF No. 83-16909, JSC No. 4742. WSTF Note: A case of extra tape (24 rolls) is currently under procurement. Due to packaging requirements, 24 rolls could be purchased at a substantially lower price than 20 rolls. The extra tape will be placed in JSC Bonded Material Storage at WSTF upon arrival.					
NOTE TO TEST FACILITY: A COPY OF THIS REQUEST SHOULD BE RETURNED WITH THE TEST REPORT					

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WSTF # 83-16661
JSC # 4501

MATERIAL NAME: 3M No. 425 Aluminum Tape

MANUFACTURER: 3M Corporation
Industrial Tape Division
220-8E 3M Center
St. Paul, MN 55144

SUPPLIER: Dixon Paper Co.
P. O. Box 26608
Ranchland Sta.
El Paso, Texas 79926

BATCH/LOT NUMBERS: 4253UAL32342

MANUFACTURER CURE (if any): None Reported

NASA QUALITY ASSURANCE:



DATE: JAN 20 '84

Test No. 6

ODOR TEST

Test Atmosphere: 25.9% Oxygen and 74.1% Nitrogen

Test Chamber Volume	Material per liter of Test Chamber Volume	Total Soak (Hr)	Sample Withdrawal at <u>12.3</u> psia
2 Liters	300 sq cm	72 @ 120°F	

ODOR SAMPLE CONCENTRATION AND TEST RESULTS

1 part to 29 parts matrix gas	1 part to 9 parts matrix gas	No Dilution
<u>1.0</u>	<u>1.6</u>	<u>2.0</u>

OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS:

Prior to test, a single layer of the two-inch-wide tape was applied with minimum overlap onto a tared, 10-mil aluminum substrate, then prepared per the NHB 8060.1B sample surface area classification.

Scores reported are the averages of a five-member panel.

NASA QUALITY ASSURANCE:



DATE:

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CARBON MONOXIDE AND TOTAL ORGANICS

Test No. 7

Test Atmosphere: 25.9% Oxygen and 74.1% Nitrogen

Test Chamber Size	Soak Conditions	Sample Weight
4.3 liters	72 Hours @ 120 F	20.089 grams
Test Pressure (psia)	Carbon Monoxide (micrograms/gram)	Total Organics (as pentane) (micrograms/gram)
11.8 to 12.0	0.2	0.7

ANALYTICAL RESULTS:

Gas phase organic material in micrograms per gram:

Acetaldehyde	0.03
Acetone	0.08
Isopropyl alcohol	0.5
Methyl ethyl ketone	0.07
C7 Saturated and unsaturated aliphatic hydrocarbons	0.2
Toluene	0.05
C8 Saturated and unsaturated aliphatic hydrocarbons	0.2

OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS:

Prior to test, a single layer of the two-inch-wide tape was applied with minimum overlap onto tared, 10-mil aluminum substrates, then prepared per the NHB 8060.1B sample weight classification. The sample weight is calculated to exclude the aluminum substrates.

NASA QUALITY ASSURANCE: 

DATE: 

Copy of one request should be returned with test report.		OFFICE USE ONLY
NAME Mike Pedley / Rajib Dasgupta		TEST FACILITY I. D. NUMBER 01-35932
ORGANIZATION NASA/JSC / Lockheed Martin		COORDINATOR SC
ADDRESS NASA/JSC MAIL CODE: EM2 / OR Houston, Tx 77058		REQUEST NO. 12166 G
Lockheed Martin 2400 NASA Road One, B22 Houston, Tx 77058		TEST FACILITY WSTF
DATE January 10, 2001	PHONE (281)333-7043 / (281)244-7550	CODE
1. MANUFACTURER'S IDENTIFICATION (Item Description) Kevlar 29 Webbing 1" Nomex HT-90-40		2. MANUFACTURER'S NAME Bally Ribbon Mills Stern and Stern
3. SPECIFICATION	4. CHEMICAL CLASS Aramid	5. GENERIC USE ISS Radiation Shield Strap
6. CHECK CATEGORY NASA-STD-6001 <input type="checkbox"/> A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C		7. TEST REQUIRED NASA STD-6001 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7 <input type="checkbox"/> 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 11 <input type="checkbox"/> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> 13 <input type="checkbox"/> 14 <input type="checkbox"/> 15 <input type="checkbox"/> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> 17 <input type="checkbox"/> 18 <input type="checkbox"/> VCM <input type="checkbox"/> TDSM <input type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL <input type="checkbox"/> VAC BAKE
8. VEHICLE ISS	9. PART NUMBER & SERIAL NO.	10. PROJECT ISS
11. USE TEMPERATURE		12. USE THICKNESS
12. USE ATMOSPHERE/FLUID	13. IGNITER TYPE	14. USE PRESSURE
15. INTENDED APPLICATION		16. QUANTITY INHABITABLE AREA/HAZARDOUS FLUID/VACUUM
17. CURE TIME	18. CURE TEMPERATURE	19. CURE PRESSURE
20. TEST ARTICLE WEIGHT	21. TEST ARTICLE AREA	22. NUMBER OF ITEMS TESTED
23. NUMBER OF ITEMS TO BE FLOWN		24. TEST CHAMBER VOLUME
25. TEST CHAMBER ATMOSPHERE		26. TEST CHAMBER PRESSURE
27. TEST CHAMBER TEMPERATURE		28. TEST CHAMBER DURATION
29. CLEANING SPEC		30. MATERIAL CODE
31. PHOTOGRAPHIC COVERAGE <input type="checkbox"/> VIDEO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STILLS <input type="checkbox"/> NONE		32. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
<p>Perform Flammability Test 1 on the supplied Kevlar samples (15" length) in 24.1 %O₂ @ 14.5 psia.</p> <p>Perform in "J" configuration. The configuration of samples is as follows:</p> <p>a) Stitch two pieces of Nomex HT-90-40 fabric along edges. Each piece of dimension 15" x3"</p> <p>b) Loosely attach the Kevlar webbing on to the centerline of the outer layer of Nomex fabric by stitching at 2 to 3 locations along the 15 inch. length.</p> <p>c) With this configuration, (Inner to outer): Nomex / Nomex / 1" kevlar / Ignitor, ignite the sample in J configuration at centerline of Kevlar webbing.</p> <p>This test is highly urgent to support ISS 5A. Please expedite within 2-3 days. Any question, please call rajib dasgupta directly at 281-333-7043.</p>		

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AUTHORIZATIONS, SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS, AND NOTES

<u>FROM</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>INSTRUCTIONS</u>
WSTF	--	The correct material identification is Kevlar 29 Webbing 1" applied to Nomex HT 90-40.
Dasgupta, Mr. Rajib Lockheed Martin Space Mission Systems & Services	01/10/01	Prepare the samples in accordance with the provided sketch. Position the igniter off-center below one of the edges of the Kevlar webbing.

NASA HANDBOOK 8060.1C
 TEST 1: UPWARD FLAME PROPAGATION
 NON-STANDARD TEST *

ASSEMBLED ARTICLE

Kevlar 29 Webbing 1" applied to Nomex HT 90-40

TEST ARTICLE DESCRIPTION

TABLE 1. SAMPLE MEASUREMENTS

Sample Measurements	Sample 1		Sample 2		Sample 3	
	SI	Cust.	SI	Cust.	SI	Cust.
Length *	38.1	15.0	38.1	15.0	38.1	15.0
(cm, in.)						
Thickness	0.19	0.08	0.20	0.08	0.20	0.08
(cm, in.)						
Weight	29.44	29.44	30.33	30.33	30.38	30.38
(g, g)						
Width *	7.6	3.0	7.6	3.0	7.6	3.0
(cm, in.)						

Preparation Information

The samples were configurational. *

The samples were prepared as requested.

Because of the resiliency of the test material, sample thickness could only be reliably measured to the nearest 0.01 cm.

Mounting Device: Needle Rake

Pretest Photograph(s): NASA-WSTF 0101-0033 0101-0034

TEST CONDITIONS

Test Atmosphere: 75.9% Nitrogen
 24.1% Oxygen

Test Pressure: 100.0 kPa (14.5 psia)

Test Chamber Volume: 1.4 m³ (50 ft³)

Additional Information

The samples were mounted in a "J" configuration. The side of the sample with the Kevlar 29 Webbing was directed toward the igniter as shown in the pretest photographs. The long leg of each sample was approximately 27.9 cm (11.0 in.) long and the short leg was approximately 5 cm (2.0 in.) long with a bend radius of approximately 2.5 cm (1.0 in.). The igniter was placed 0.6 cm (1/4 in.) off center toward one edge of the Kevlar 29 Webbing and 0.6 cm (1/4 in.) below the front leading edge of the long leg of the "J". *

TEST RESULTS, OBSERVATIONS, AND COMMENTS

TABLE 2. TEST RESULTS

Results	Sample 1		Sample 2		Sample 3	
	SI	Cust.	SI	Cust.	SI	Cust.
Side A						
Burn Length (cm, in.)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Side B						
Burn Length (cm, in.)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Measured Changes						
Weight Loss (g, g)	0.20	0.20	0.38	0.38	0.34	0.34
Relative O ₂ Consumption (%, %)	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND

Note(s): The side of each sample with the Kevlar 29 Webbing was designated Side A; the side without Kevlar 29 Webbing was designated Side B.

Propagation burn time is only reported if the material burns greater than 15.2 cm (6.0 in.).

ND indicates that the results were less than the reporting limit. The reporting limit for relative oxygen consumption is 0.5 percent.

TABLE 3. FLAMMABILITY CHARACTERISTICS
 (NONE, SMALL, MODERATE, LARGE)

Characteristics	Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 3
Quantity of Sparks	None	None	None
Quantity of Cinders	None	None	None
Quantity of Flame Jets	None	None	None
Quantity of Burning Material Transferred	None	None	None
Effect on K-10 paper	No Ignition	No Ignition	No Ignition

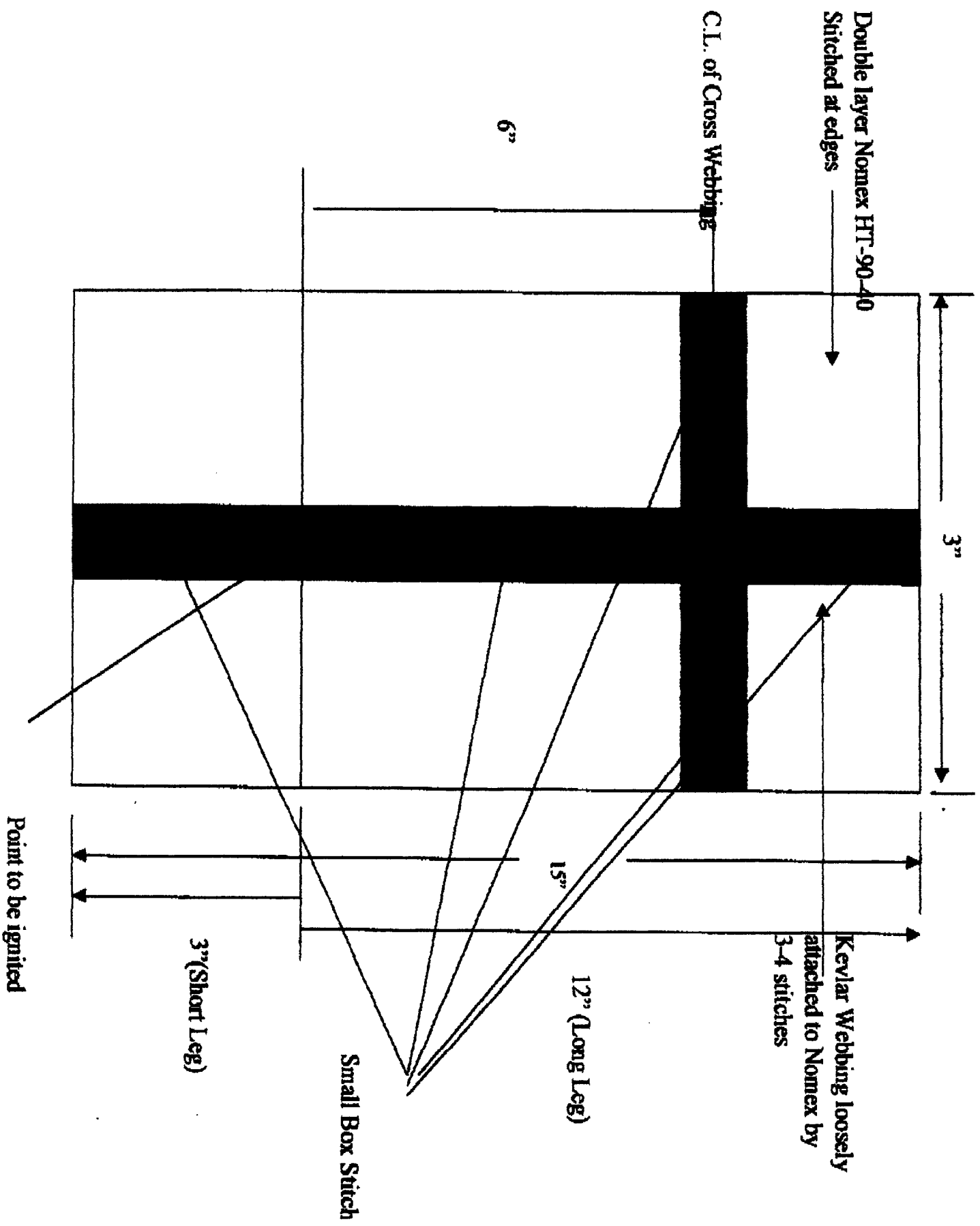
Posttest Photograph(s): NASA-WSTF 0101-0031 0101-0032

Video Cassette Number(s): 000-0341-A

Observations and Comments

None of the samples ignited.

Side A of the long legs of Samples 1, 2, and 3 were charred and discolored within the igniter flame impingement area. Side B of the long legs of Samples 1, 2, and 3 were discolored from the igniter flame on Side A; therefore, the posttest photographs do not appear to agree with the recorded burn lengths.



Point to be ignited

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The following physical property information is based on typical values of the base ultra-high molecular weight polyethylene resin.

	Units	ASTM Test	Result
Mechanical			
Hardness-Shore D	—	D2240	D61
Izod Impact Strength			
Double 15° Notch @73°F	ft•lbs/in	D256	18
Tensile Elongation			
@break	%	D638	>350.0
@yield	%	D638	—
Tensile Strength			
@break	psi	D638	6,000
@yield	psi	D638	2,800
Thermal			
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion	in/in/°F	D896	11.0x10 ⁻⁵
Heat Deflection Temperature @58 psi	°F	D648	203
Electrical			
Dielectric Constant @60Hz	—	D150	2.30
Dielectric Strength	V/mil	D149	2,300
Dissipation Factor			
@50Hz	—	D180	0.00019
@100kHz	—	D150	0.00025
Volume Resistivity	ohm•cm	D257	>10 ¹⁶
Other			
Specific Gravity	—	D792	0.930
Water Absorption @24 hours	%	D570	Nil

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Lennite Star Wheel

Industry Applications Include:

- Packaging and food processing machinery components
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- Low cost

Manufacturing Capabilities:

Rod: 1/4" to 4" diameter
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Tube: 1 1/8" to 3 1/2" O.D.

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Aluminum Foil Tape

425 • 427 Lined Version

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Technical Data

August 20, 1998

Product Description	A 5 mil nominal dead soft aluminum foil backing combined with a transparent acrylic adhesive and an easy release liner (Tape 427 only). Tapes 425 and 427 have U.L. Approval Class "L" for low flammability. Can be used indoors or out for many long term applications.
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Construction	Backing	Adhesive	Color	Liner	Standard Roll Length
	Dead soft aluminum	Acrylic	Shiny silver	Easy release paper	60 yds. (55 m)

Typical Physical Properties and Performance Characteristics	Note: The following technical information and data should be considered representative or typical only and should not be used for specification purposes.			ASTM Test Method
Adhesion to Steel: Tape	425	47 oz./in. width (51 N/100 mm)		D-3330
	427	50 oz./in. width (55 N/100 mm)		
Tensile Strength:	425/427	30 lbs./in. width (525 N/100 mm)		D-3759
Backing Thickness:	425	2.8 mils (.072 mm)		D-3652
	427	3.1 mils (.079 mm)		
Total Tape Thickness:	425	4.6 mils (.116 mm)		D-3652
	427	4.8 mils (.122 mm)		
Liner Thickness:	427	3.1 mils (.08 mm)		D-3652
Elongation at Break:	425/427	8%		D-3759
Water Vapor Transmission Rate:	425/427	.1g H ₂ O/100 sq. in./24 hrs. (1.55 g/m ² /24 hrs.)		D-3833
Approximate Weight:	425/427	0.115 lbs./yd./in. width (4.77 gms/m/24 mm)		

General Information

- 427 tape can easily be die-cut into special sizes or shapes.
- The very low moisture vapor transmission rate makes 425 and 427 tapes a good sealant.
- The acrylic adhesive combined with the durable aluminum backing offers ideal properties for long serviceable life both indoors and out.
- Good candidate as a maskant in electroplating of aluminum because it will not contaminate the bath.
- Aluminum backing provides excellent reflection of both heat and light.
- Can be certified to meet MIL-T-23397b, Type II.
- 425 tape has been tested and passed F.A.R. specification No. 25.853(a).

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General Information (continued)

- Performance range from -65°F to 300°F (-54°C to 150°C). Higher temperatures for shorter periods.
- Store in a clean, dry place at 60-80°F (15-27°C) and 40-50% relative humidity no longer than 24 months from date of manufacture.
- Flame resistant. Meets U.L. 723, Class "L" Low Flammability Rating File R 7311.
- Best results obtained when applied to a clean, dry surface above 32°F (0°C).

IMPORTANT: The 3M™ 425 Aluminum Tape is not intended for medical usage. Neither 3M nor the Food and Drug Administration has evaluated or reviewed this tape for medical application. 3M does not recommend or endorse the usage of the aluminum tape for medical application. User assumes all risk and liability whatsoever in connection with usage of product in a medical application.

Application Ideas

- Aircraft paint stripping maskant.
- Moisture barrier in "white goods" appliances.
- General purpose heat reflector and heat dissipator.
- Mechanically hold wires and cooling coils in "white goods" appliances.
- Repair tears on truck trailers and aircraft.
- Splicing of thin gauge foils.
- General purpose holding, patching, sealing applications – indoors and out.

Features	Advantages	Benefits
• Aluminum foil backing	• Long term protection	• Helps protect parts from water, dust or chemical damage
	• Heat reflective	• Helps protect parts from heat
	• Flame resistant	• Will not support combustion
• Acrylic adhesive	• Long aging	• Helps reduce need for replacing

For Additional Information

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